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J. B. YULE Editor.

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Along the Trail

By J. B. YULE

PERISH THE THOUGHT

According to the People's Journal, printed at Inverness, Scotland, there is a hint that the kill is threatened and the killing will be the only one of walking out dress occasions.

With the story is a picture of two kilted soldiers charging. Underneath the picture is written: "Kill them, there will be something like a mutiny."

If the Highlanders feel anything like the writer, whose forebears came from Ireland, I'll say there will be a mutiny.

As long as the kilts are the uniforms of the various Highland regiments, the Rob Roy's and the like, of the kilt and it will lose its identity and become a drab affair, without color and spirit.

It is the dog in the kilt in the army simply means to throw cold water in the face of a glorious tradition of the people of the Land of the Highlands, where the kilt was inseparably intertwined.

The next thing will be hearing is that the Rob Roy's and the like, of the kilt and it will lose its identity and become a drab affair, without color and spirit.

And so it goes on. Some reward never fails such a one. Though delayed and perhaps in a form unexpected.

Give a short shift to the popular notion of doing as little as possible, and of shrinking; instead do what is needed.

The dog in the kilt is a go-to-wear man.

Read Matt. 5:41 to find what a go-to-wear man is.

With love,

FATHER

IN THE TRIBUNE'S MAIL BOX

THE SPANISH CRUSADE

Editor:

In your paper of February 25th, appeared an amazing letter over the signature of Madeline P. Storni. In this letter your correspondent gives the Spanish side of the Generalissimo's rebellion.

It is the Spanish who are fighting.

Now a crusading army must be formed to fight for Spain.

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C. O. POOL

STILL CAN'T SEE IT MR. McDIARMID'S WAY

To the Editor:

Mr. McDiarmid in his reply tries to justify his statement "that it would be extremely foolish to do without him" if he can't see any kind of term even though it never can be paid for" by saying that it is even in Canada who could not afford him.

He is right, but the real crusade is when the Spanish people, especially the poor, are to be assisted.

I contend this is rather side-tracking the point at hand.

These are the people the government paid the merchant; so it is all being paid for, indirectly if not directly.

McDiarmid's next argument is that we would not have had any schools, bridges, roads, public buildings and so on, had we waited until we could afford them.

I submit we could not get those things until we could afford them.

Mr. McDiarmid says that the more we pay for material and labor to be there before any of those things can be built, whether it is in Canada or elsewhere.

It is the same in Spain, where the money is borrowed, to be paid later, but it is paid.

But just the same, our chief difference is that we are not paid up.

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A. C. LaRIVIERE

Adolescence

(A paper given by Miss Jean Huston at the March Meeting of the Grande Prairie W. L.)

Adolescence. I wonder if there is a stage of growth that is more genuinely "fun at it" than adolescence?

They grow up, they laugh and

they sing, they play, they run, they

they dream, they live, they love,

they play, they work, they play,

they work, they play, they work,

POETRY

"Ruin seize thee, ruthless King!
Confusion on thy banners wait;
Thy hand's by Conquest's crimson

They mock the air with idle state,
Helm nor hauberk's twisted mail,
Nor e'er thy virtues, Tyrant, shall
avale.

To save thy secret soul from nightly
fears,

From Caesar's curse, from Cam-
bia's tomb!"

—Such were the sounds that over the
crested pride

Of the first Edward scattered wild
dismay.

As down the steep of Snowdon's
shaggy side

We waded through toilsome march his

long array.

Stout Glaston stood aghast in speech-
less trance;

"To arms!" cried Mortimer, and

couched his quivering lance.

On a rock, whose haughty brow

Fronted old Conway's foaming flood.

Robed in the sable garb of woe,

With haggard eyes the Poet stood;

(Look!—the beard and hoary hair

Stream'd like a meteor to the
troubled air.)

And with a master's hand and

Admires fire,

Struck the deep sorrows of his

lire."

A good writer will studiously avoid any suggestion of monotony. Charles Dickens, who, as you know, ranks as one of the greatest novelists of all time, was one of the greatest students of human nature, commenting on this idea in one of his books, said that the good writer will strive to interweave comedy and tragedy, humor and pathos, like the alternating lines of pink and bacon.

The best profressing to be a good writer, I can at least try to adhere to this rule as much as possible. With this in mind, therefore, we will leave the art of Home for a moment and consider Poetry from a totally different angle; the present setting being derived from the practical aspects of more than 2,000 years.

For the benefit of those who have not been following up these articles, let me repeat that their object is to impress upon the reader the value of good poetry as is bound to have a beneficial influence, viewed from any standpoint whatsoever. A study of the life and times of successive hard-headed business men will not detract from his virtue of shrewd business sense, but rather add to it by tempering his practical outlook. It will foster the growth of confidence in conversation by giving a broad view of the world. It will increase his love of life, will bring a fuller and nobler appreciation of life and, if persisted in, a development of confidence, a happiness and "joie de vivre" beyond one's expectations.

To those few who may not have kept in mind the dictum laid down

in an earlier article to READ GOOD POETRY SLOWLY at all times, the meaning of the above lines may be a little puzzling, but do not give up. Be prepared to spend a little effort. The first notes in music, to the beginner, are difficult, but once having mastered them, will bring at their simplicity.

First of all, let us use a little good sense deduction. The above lines are from the pen of the poet Gray, who, as you know, wrote the immortal "Elegy." One of the most beautiful poems in our English language, and of which the great General Wolfe said: "I would rather be the author of that poem than captain of a thousand men tomorrow."

Can it be supposed that the same poet who wrote the beautiful "Elegy" now stoop to writing mean-
ingless rhymes?

The man of whom you remember early English history will probably remember the story of the conquest of Wales by the first Edward. Edward, the most valiant fighter and one of the most triumphant way from one victorious success to another, was commanding the last of subduing the Welsh, who had the audacity to outside and beyond his ability to understand. All his bravery and daring, and the contempt of his knightly followers seemed futile and powerless against these obviously less civilized people. These descendants of a fatigued, a dash and gallantry unbelievable in a people whom, up to now, he had rather despised. What was the spirit which urged them on to such deeds of valor; which caused them to hurl themselves single-handed against the sword and lance of his own superior knights? Would you believe it? It was simple Poetry.

"Cold Cadwallon's tongue,
That hushed the stormy main;
Brave men sleep on his crag-
bed:

Mountains, ye mourn in vain
Modred's huge Phlinning bow his
cloud-topped head.

On dreary Arvon's shore they lie
Smeared with gore and ghastly pale
Toad aloof the affrighted ravens
Flock.

The famish'd eagle screams and
passes by.

The fair ones which seemed

best from every standpoint were

seven pounds alfalfa with one pound

or so seven pounds alfalfa with

three pounds alfalfa with three

pounds bromegrass.

Very little difference in the yield produced by these mixtures hence the mixture the grower should use should be governed by the type of soil on which the hay is to be grown and the use to be made of the hay produced.

Since Turnip is a moisture-loving plant, a mixture containing turnip should be confined to the park belt and the grey wooded soil area. Mixtures containing alfalfa and bromegrass should be used in the park belt and the marginal prairie. Crested wheat is an early maturing grass, hence an excellent grass to grow in the park belt.

Crested wheat grass is also brought

resistant, it is the best grass to grow in a mixture with alfalfa in the park area of the park belt and on the higher land of the park belt and grey wooded soil area.

Another mixture is abundant, such

as around the margin wet slopes,

or a drained soggy bottom, a mixture

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one pound of bromegrass.

On very light soils the mixtures

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these fierce mountain fighters who,

listening to the wild inspiring music

of the pipe organ, were in a frenzy.

Woe betide the foemen who

should dare to come against them.

Now Edward, beside being toxy, as

you know, was eminently practical.

Do you remember how the Welsh,

when he had finally conquered them,

listened to the opening verse—

"Weave the warp and weave the
woof
The winding sheet of Edward's

Give ample room and verge enough
The characters of hell to trace.

Mark the year and mark the night,
When Sennar shall re-echo with

afright
The shrieks of death thro' Berkley's

ring
That ring
Shriek of killing king!

She-wolf of France, with unrelent-
ing fangs

That tear'd the bowls of thy

mettled mare!

Dear as the light that visits these
sacred eyes,

Dear as the ruddy drops that warm
my heart.

Ye remnant your dying coun-
try's cries—

No more weep; They do not sleep;

On yon cliff a grisly band,

Made of stone, made song

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Interesting News From Sexsmith

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By R. A. MACLEOD

March 7, 1939

**Robert Wigmore
Sexsmith Oldtimer
Claimed By Death**

Many Attend Funeral Services. Held In The United Church — Casket Covered With Flowers—Deceased, Who Was Well Liked, Will Be Missed Greatly In The Community.

In the passing of Robert Wigmore, whose death took place on Thursday last, Sexsmith lost another of her oldtimers.

Bob, as he was known to his many friends, was born on October 15, 1861, near Bredalbane, P.E.I., where he spent his boyhood days. When a young man, he went to the eastern cities where he lived for some time. In 1914 he came to the Peace River country and filed on a homestead immediately east of the town, where he lived until the time of his death.

The funeral services were held in the United Church with the Rev. E. Rands officiating. The pallbearers were: Messrs. Ed. Morgan, Wm. Alexander, H. M. McMillan, R. H. Bardsley, J. G. McMillan and Mr. G. L. Miller.

The casket was covered with many floral offerings sent by Earl, Julia, Beulah and Bobbie; Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Morgan; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Balderston and family; Wm. and Robert Alexander; and Mr. and Mrs. Obriewick.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gurnett, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Miller and family; Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McMillan and family; Richard McNaughton and family; Mr. and Mrs. Al. Days; Mr. and Mrs. John Barr; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williamson and Mr. and Mrs. K. Arneberg.

The deceased leaves to mourn his loss, three sons—Fred of New York, Earl of Grand Falls, Fred of Fort Edward, also several grandchildren, and a brother in Prince Edward Island.

Bob's familiar face will be missed here in town, as he was well liked, and generous to a fault with what little he had.

APPRECIATION

The girls of the C.G.T. wish to express their appreciation for the splendid support given them in their tea, held in Sexsmith last Saturday.

**SEXSMITH HOCKEY TALENT
LOSE AT G. P. TOURNAMENT**

Last week was not overly bright for the Sexsmith hockey talent. Of course, there was a game over the Hythe Maple Leafs, which the Rangers into the finals with the Grande Prairie Red Devils. However, the team, which had been trimmed to the tune of 2 to 6 junior boys' team went down 4 to 1, and the Rangers were walloped by the All Stars.

Whilst we are on the subject of hockey, how is it that a cup up for the Peace River country can't be a team made up from four different towns? From the north side of the river, the All Stars will play the Grande Prairie Red Devils. It appeared to us that the R.D.'s had the better of the play throughout, and had a picked team from all the

players south of the river been the opposition, we believe that the result would have been a lot different.

BORN AT MATERNITY HOSPITAL

New arrivals at the Seventh Maternity Hospital: To Mr. and Mrs. P. Fredlund, La Glace, February 17, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. Harold McFarlane, February 21, a boy; to Mr. and Mrs. George Reume, La Glace, February 23, a boy.

SEXSMITH LOCAL PARIS

Mrs. Bob Biron of Thorold arrived on last Friday's train to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Mrs. J. A. Weicker was the winner of the five-dollar merchandise prize of the First Annual Christmas Fair held on Friday night last.

Mr. Harry Rands of Alliance arrived on last Friday's train for a short visit with his son and daughter-in-law, The Rev. and Mrs. E. Rands of the United Church, Sexsmith.

SEXSMITH AND DISTRICT ANGLICAN SERVICE

REV. H. E. WEBB, Rector
Sunday, March 12

3:00 p.m.—St. John's Church, Buffalo Centre.

7:30 p.m.—Emmanuel Church, Sexsmith.

LUTHERAN CHURCH

K. A. KNUTSON, Pastor
Sunday, March 12

11 a.m.—Lutheran Bible Institute closing exercises at Valhalla Centre.

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Wednesday, March 15

8 p.m.—Lutheran Service, Sexsmith.

Saturday, March 18

1 p.m.—Junior Luther League, Sexsmith.

LUTHERAN HOUR

We are sorry we had to cancel the broadcast for March 8.

SEXSMITH UNITED CHURCH

REV. E. RANDS, B.A.
Sunday, March 12

11:00 a.m.—Sexsmith Sunday School.

1:30 p.m.—Teepee Creek Service.

7:30 p.m.—Sexsmith Service.

Monday

4:15 p.m.—Junior Boys in Church.

4:00 p.m.—Junior Girls in Mans.

8:00 p.m.—Choir Practice.

Friday

7:30 p.m.—Study Group in Mans.

COME AND HAVE THE TIME OF YOUR LIFE

"The Time of His Life," a full-length three-act drama, will be presented by the North Klondike Drama Club on Friday, March 10, at 8:30 p.m. by the Young People's Society of Emmanuel Lutheran Church.

Proceeds of the play will be used for church and school purposes.

MEMORIAM

MILFORD

In memory of Mr. and Mrs. John March 10th, 1938.

Sadly missed by Lillian, John and Margaret Reed in Peace From

Mrs. MILFORD, Smoky Heights

The Luther League service was won over to the right by the topic was taken by Marie Buchholz and Evelyn Krantz.

Don't forget the next meeting Sunday, March 12.

LIVES UP TO HIS MOTTO

Swan Swanham ran into bad roads and cold weather on his trip to Grande Prairie for high land work. He was forced to divide his load and make an extra trip before he arrived home again. He said his motto, "I will truck anywhere and where, anytime," and his reputation for getting through remains as good as new.

GOD ATTENDANCE AT LUTHER LEAGUE SERVICE

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SPRING FORECAST

By the habits of the shrike-jacks who are gathering materials with which to build their nests, and the moose, which are trekking south to the Peace River when the snow melts, to the swamps and flats, we are due for a real chinook which will put spring just around the corner. Another sign of spring is an early spring is the squirrel taking a walk a week ago, 75 per cent of which will be rejected, or to be more precise, graded as being too black for blackness, which is caused by the new sprout casting starting to grow.

BENEFIT DANCE BRINGS IN SMALL SUM

What was hoped to be a financial success, the dance sponsored by the G.W. Wilson band, the musicians and householder in whose home any and every important community gathering is held, was, we are sorry to say, "not so good" and the sum of \$3.75 only being collected.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. McKay, at Spirit River, a son, Magnus, May Mother and baby both doing fine and returned home February 26.

Mr. McKay is at present confined to his bed with a severe rheumatism of the left hand and wrist. The inexperience incapacitated him, however, with regard to dressing that it was deemed advisable for him to stay in bed.

On February 26, 26 diving services were held in the school-house by Rev. Mr. Lowe, who gave an announcement made by him appealing to summer students of the Presbyterian faith is that they will enter the mission field with the railroad. Harry McElroy is held out to us that again Mr. R. W. T. Currie, who is held in the highest esteem in this district, will be appointed in due time.

Eagleham has a new pastor in the person of Father Denner, a jovial Belgian who thoroughly understands conditions in new settlements and generously makes allowances for the needs of the people.

Scorpio season comes today, and the individual bags range from 200 to 1,000 by the hunters, none reporting over the 1,000 to date, or beating the record of Hector with 56 bags in one day.

Nestor Ponies is a happy boy with a new pony to his name. He has given alights about mounting it, but Claude Girard is eager to break it in for him. Ponies, boys and ponies; youth and love and adventure.

DEPARTMENT OF FISHERIES, OTTAWA

Department of Fisheries, Ottawa.

Please send me your free booklet, "100 Tempting Fish Recipes".

Name... (Please print letters plainly)

Address:

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ANY DAY IS A GOOD DAY

FOR FREE BOOK

ILLUSTRATED NEWS OF THE WEEK



FIRST ORIGINAL PHOTO OF LATE POPE AFTER DEATH

One of the first original photographs to reach this continent of the late Pope Pius XI lying in the papal bedchamber, where he died, is shown above. A rosary may be seen clasped in the late pontiff's hands.



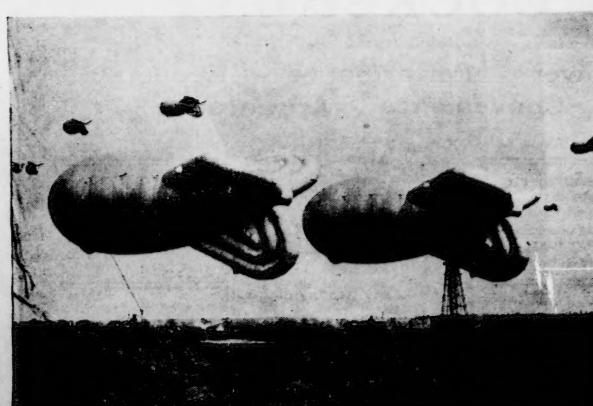
SCENES FROM THE WESTERN CANADIAN SKI CHAMPIONSHIPS

The Western Canada Ski Championship Downhill Slalom Event attracted many experts to Revelstoke from the West. Above Peter Vadja of Tyee Ski Club is seen finishing the course in a blaze of speed.



WHEN FRANCO'S TROOPS REACHED THE FRENCH FRONTIER

Troops of the Fifth Column of the Navarres, commanded by General Juan Sanchez Gonzales, one of Franco's senior generals, arrive at the French frontier post at Perthus singing their national hymn with arms extended.



BRITAIN'S BALLOON BARRAGE GROWS RAPIDLY

New barrage balloons being tested near London as they are released from the factories. With the balloon barrage it is hoped to form a network over London and other big cities which would make it impossible for enemy aircraft to thread their way through the cables.



TOURS THE WORLD FOR ROTARY

Directing last minute messages before the "Empress of Japan" sailed for the Orient, at Vancouver, B.C., Alex O. Pollock of Kitchener, Ontario, was photographed in a reflected light. He is on a tour of the world for Rotary, his main objective being to consolidate and organize Rotary Clubs in Asia, after which he will visit Europe on a similar mission.



AERIAL BOMBS BURST IN ENGLAND

Above is seen the result of an "enemy" bomb exploding at Shropshire, Essex, England, destroying houses, etc. In reality it was a test bomb dropped by the Royal Air Force on a specially built shelter which the government intends for general distribution. A 500-pound bomb, medium case, high explosive, was placed thirty feet from the shelter and then blew up under the same conditions as if dropped from an aircraft.

REFUGEES FROM SUDETEN

Large Number Left Czechoslovakia Recently For England—Some May Come To Peace River

Two hundred and fifty Sudeten German refugees have left Czechoslovakia for England, and many hundreds more are expected to leave for other countries. According to press dispatches at the beginning of this week, plans are being considered to place several hundred Sudeten Germans in the Peace River country. Most of these refugees were members of the former German Social Democratic party, which opposed the parts of the Nazi-Konrad Henlein before Germany annexed the Sudetenland last fall. The emigrants to the British Isles will be quartered in Scotland but later are to go to an English colony. Eighty refugees left for Sweden and 19 for Finland.

Men's fashions for spring include plum-colored evening coats and opera capes of twilight blue lined with scarlet satin. Or would you just as soon put on the old carpet slippers and play safe?

A post office where only children under 17 can obtain a stamp or post a letter has been set up at Dovercourt, near Harwich, England.

A SPECIAL TRIBUNE FEATURE

THE BEST OF THE WEEK'S INTERESTING NEWS PICTURES



GRENADIER GUARDS BATTLE FOR BAYONET CHAMPIONSHIP

This picture shows the individual and company bayonet fencing championships of the 2nd Batt. Grenadier Guards in progress at Wellington Barracks, London. The boys in the foreground are waiting for an opportunity to match their skill with the sergeant-major.



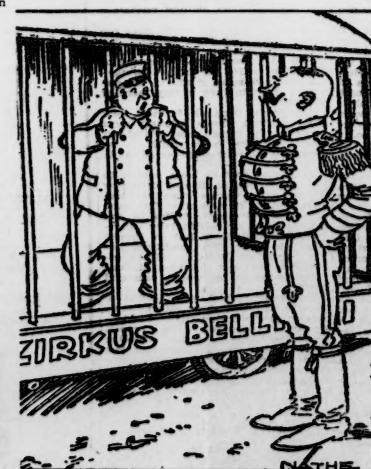
WEDS STATE WITNESS AFTER ACQUITTAL

Following his acquittal by a Cleveland jury of charge of having poison in her husband, Wm. S. Sekarek, 32, and Stanley Sulikowski, 51, who was the principal state's witness against her in two trials, Sulikowski testified Mrs. Sekarek had told him of having put sleeping tablets into her husband's coffee.



FRANCE RALLIES AFRICAN FORCES AFTER BORDER CLASH

New French-Italian crisis was feared following reports of a serious French-Italian border clash where Libya joins Tunisia. It was said that Italian soldiers and several French soldiers were killed, although the latter was denied by French and Italian government. France rallied her African forces as Italy increased troops in Libya. Tunisia has been a sore spot for several weeks following Italian agitation for the French-controlled African area. These are the French colonial troops in Tunis.



THE EFFECTS OF AERIAL BOMBARDMENT IN BARCELONA

Insurgent soldiers searching among the ruins of a demolished building in Barcelona, while in the foreground a woman is retrieving some furniture. This picture gives a good idea of the effects of aerial bombardment in Barcelona, now occupied by Insurgent forces.

CLAIRMONT NEWS
ANNUAL IRISH STEW SUPPER
AT CLAIMONT, MARCH 17

The annual Irish stew supper sponsored by the Clairmont Ladies' Building, Friday, March 17, at 6 p.m. Everyone welcome.

W.M.S. QUARTERLY MEETING

The quarterly meeting of the Clairmont W.M.S. will be held at the home of Mrs. W. J. Callister on Thursday, March 16, at 7 p.m. Please note change in date.

TWO RIVERS

TWO RIVERS, Mar. 6.—We were sorry to hear "Eddie" Rutledge is in Grande Prairie Municipal Hospital with rheumatic fever. We hope for speedy recovery.

Mrs. Chambers has returned from a visit with her daughter Rhes in Wembly.

Harris Bros. are busy cleaning grain.

W. M. S. was held at Mrs. Tyrrell's last Wednesday, with a large attendance. Rev. G. A. Shields took part in the program of the Prayer Week. The church basket was started to help raise funds.

Jim Dixon had some of the neighbors in Monday night for a game of five hundred.

Roy Longson and family spent Saturday at his mother's, Mrs. G. H. Longson.

Mr. D. Magarelli driving new team and giving two young ladies a lift to Beaver Lodge.

THE HINCHCLIFFE TRAIL Young People's Club bring two days to the Court Hall on March 17. Halcyon and Two Rivers communities are asked to help make this a success. Admission 25 cents.

Betty and Allan Lock were the winners of health chart in February school contest.

KLONDIKE TRAIL

KLONDIKE TRAIL, Mar. 4.—Last Sunday was the scene of a great party at Mr. and Mrs. Wright's. About twelve young people gathered there to try their skill at riding a toboggan. The result was everyone home with a good wetting but also admitting they had a day's fun.

Mr. George Cooper of Lake Sackatoon has been spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. D. McNeill.

Ed Glitzel was one of the unfortunate falleys at Pipestone Creek last Saturday, when he had the misfortune to hurt his knee while tobogganing. Hurry up and get better, Ed, before the costume is finished.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ross, Beryl and Henry, were among the happy bunch of visitors at Taylor's on Sunday.

SEEN AND HEARD
Cathy has returned home again after spending a few days with her sister, Jean. Glad to see you home again, Cathy.

Traffic officials in Winnipeg are receiving praise for record of no traffic fatalities in 1938. Now with 100 days of record of 101 days without an accidental death, gave Winnipeg the all-Canadian mark for cities of comparative sizes.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
"Substance" is the subject of the Lesson - Sermon on all Christian Sciences in Canada. In "The Golden Text is Proverbs 3:9. One of the Scriptural citations is "The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit that we are the children of God." (Romans 8:16). One of the correlative passages from "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," Mrs. Eddy, "God is Infinite. He reflects infinity, and this reflection is the true idea of God" (p. 258).

One person in 100 can tell Michael's first name. Well, it was Buonarroti.

GOOD SEED AND WHEAT MARKETS

High quality is the best salesman for Canadian Wheat.

High quality is produced from good seed of a variety suitable to your district.

High quality, Registered and Certified Seed through the Crop Testing Plan is available at our elevators.

See our local agent.

(20) THE ALBERTA PACIFIC GRAIN COMPANY LIMITED

COMMUNITY Horse Auction Sale

to be held at

Grande Prairie
March 22nd and 23rd

Sale held under the auspices of the

Grande Prairie Agricultural Society

Get the most for your horses by selling them at this sale. Buyers will be here from Ontario, Montreal, Winnipeg and western Canada.

This is your opportunity to get cash for your horses.

Your cooperation is needed to make this sale a success.

SEND YOUR ENTRIES NOW TO

GEO. W. T. BALMER,
President

W. J. THOMSON,
Sale Secretary

THE NORTHERN TRIBUNE**PIPESTONE CREEK**

"EVERYTHING NOTHING" AT FORT PORCUPINE
PIPESTONE CREEK, Mar. 8.—A special messenger arrived recently from Fort Porcupine, making the arduous 125-mile trip on horseback in the record time of 2½ days. Proceeding with a stick on the open stretches of Clever Creek, proved the snow there to be five feet deep.

News the messenger brought was to the effect that supplies are low in town. Messengers are sent to Joachim's own words, "Everything nothing."

Henry McCullough, the newly appointed factor for Fort Porcupine leaves for the backwoods, accompanied by the chief packer, Dan St. Arnold. The party will take the trail with further supplies to the Fort. Due to the difficulties of travel and the prospects of better business, they do not expect to be back here again. After a long absence, the chamber of commerce has been completed with Felix Joachim to pack the outfit to Grande Cache where main headquarters will be established temporarily.

G. M. VISTS PINTO CREEK

The General Manager made a further successful trading trip to Pinto Creek, spending Saturday night at Hotel Indiana with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Shuttler. Pete has proved himself a bold storekeeper and has already sold out the varied stock left in his charge.

REDUCTION IN LIGHTING RATES

The public of this town are pleased to hear that there has been a reduction in the cost of lights and also that the plant is to run on Tuesday forenoon. The new lighting plant is being constructed. It has been decided that it may be a three-sheet risk.

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SPIRIT RIVER NEWS**THIRTY-SIX RINKS IN SPIRIT RIVER C. C. MIXED BONSPIEL**

SPIRIT RIVER, Mar. 7.—The Spirit River Curling Club is putting on a mixed bonspiel and the number of rinks entered is the largest one this club has ever had at one time. The rinks curling number thirty-six is the record number of the club. The bonspiel has created is certainly pleasing to the executive of the club. It is rumored that after this mixed sport is over, if anything, there may be another bonspiel, either mixed or just men's rinks.

The ladies are to have their own mixed rinks after this one is played off, call a meeting and form their own rinks for a few games while the ice lasts.

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